

Commissioner for Patent United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 145 Alexandria, VA 22313-145

Paper No. 10

Robert C. Curfiss Jackson Walker, LLP 112 E. Pecan, Suite 2100 San Antonio, TX 78205

COPY MAILED

JAN 0 7 2004

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

In re Application of Robert Billingsley
Application No. 09/

Application No. 09/954,891

Filed: September 18, 2001

Attorney Docket No. 007102.00001

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 29, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the Non-Final Office action mailed November 19, 2002. The Notice set a period for reply of two (2) months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the above-identified application became abandoned on January 20, 2003.

The application file is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination Division for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Latrice Bond at (703) 308-6911.

Latrice Bond

Petitions Examiner Office of Petitions

Office of the Deputy Commissioner for Patent Examination Policy